Your Friday Water Report

This Week's Topic:

Daily Averages for 03/12 - 03/18

WEP Conservation Area

This part of the City's Water Enhancement Program seeks to reduce the demand for water. Since Jan. 2011, the City's demand has dropped from about 2.3 Mgd to about 1.3 Mgd. That's major progress!

Customers have been more cautious in their use, irrigation has been curtailed, and numerous leaks have been found/fixed.

Because of ongoing drought, the City established a Water Shortage Action Plan, calling for more restrictions if the reservoir levels drop below certain points. For the moment reservoirs are full but future rain is uncertain. Continued caution is advisable. The automated meter reading system is operational and will soon report customers' potential leaks (ongoing odd hour flows).

Gallinas River Flow 3.40 Mad*

This week in 2013 was 1.86 Mgd

Avg. River Diversions **2.12** Mgd Yr. to date 178 Mg*; yr. max 896 Mg

Draw from Wells **0.00** Mgd This week in 2013 was 0.45 Mgd

Fresh Water Demand **1.32** Mgd This week in 2013 was 1.57 Mgd

As of 03/18/14:

Bradner Storage 98.85 Mg **Peterson Storage 63.42** Mg Storrie Lake Storage **155.34** Mg **Reservoir Storage** 95.3%

Las Vegas Rainfall 0.00"

Snowpack Water Equiv. 7.9 inch This date in 2013 was 7.5 inch This date median is 14.5 inch

*Mgd = Million gal. per day, Mg = million gal

Did You Know? Average annual open water evaporation varies around the State, depending on location and altitude – 9.4 feet at Elephant Butte, 3.6 ft. at Eagle Nest, and 6.7 ft. at Conchas Dam.



See water leaks, water waste, or water violations? Tell someone! 426-3319



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